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MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: SSU Survey

1. Admiral Souers came into the office on Saturday, and stated that he had just had a conversation with Mr. Sommers of the Office of the Secretary of War. It was arranged that Mr. Sommers would be available to consult with the Planning Staff in preparing C.I.G. action on the completed SSU Survey.

2. It appears to be generally understood between Admiral Souers and Mr. Sommers that means should be established whereby the Director of Central Intelligence shall have operational control of SSU during its liquidation by the War Department.

3. The Admiral told Mr. Sommers that the Central Planning Staff would contact him on Monday, 18 March.

4. While he has made no commitment, the Admiral indicated this coming Wednesday, 20 March, as a possible date for the N.I.A., on SSU.

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